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For:

METHOD AND APPARATUS

FOR INTERFACING A POWER LINE CARRIER AND AN APPLIANCE

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#### **TRANSMITTAL**

1. Transmitted herewith is:

Amendment Transmittal (3 pgs.)

Amendment After Final in response to the Office Action mailed June 15, 2006

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#### **STATUS**

2. Applicant

claims small entity status.
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(a) Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.1 (Fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked										
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(b)	(b) X Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.									

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